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# TRUSTS AND MONOPOLIES.

Ex-Governor Flower, Being a Beneficiary, Finds Them Good.

Ex-Governor Flower has the intrepidity of his interests, which is the modern millionaire's political substitute for the courage of one's convictions. Having a Wall Street operator's interest in trusts and monopolies, the ex-governor naturally finds much good in them.

Mr. Flower is right in saying that corporations are the natural growth of our outgrowth of our business conditions. In their legitimate field they are highly useful and economical organizations. But Mr. Flower is astonishingly wrong when he makes this "law of progress" cover the system and the operations of the Standard Oil Trust, the Sugar Trust and similar conspiracies of greed. Mr. Flower can hardly be ignorant of the fact that both these trusts have remorselessly crushed competition, that they have corrupted legislation in their own interest, that they have qualified law by the power of their money, that they have subsidized political parties to "protect their interests."

It is not a sufficient answer to this to say that oil and sugar have been reduced in price. The colossal fortunes of the sugar and oil kings are ample proof that the price has not been reduced parallel with the reduction in the cost. The by products of oil refining pay more than the cost of the process. Monopoly is robbery, moderated only by "what the market will bear" or what the law allows.

Mr. Flower says, "Let us not sit on the coattails of progress and holler 'Whoa!'" No, but neither let us lie down under the monopoly juggernaut and say that a little crushing is good for us.—New York World.

To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces, to instantly relieve and permanently cure the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

# Death of an Old Citizen.

John A. Taylor, familiarly known as "Coffee John," was born in Ohio county on October, 1812, and died at his home near Cromwell, Ky., September 2, 1897, being nearly eighty-five years of age. But few men living in Ohio county were better known than the subject of this sketch, having been a stock trader for a great number of years and having ridden over this Green River country very extensively. In his earlier manhood he traded and boated to New Orleans. But few men of this generation enjoy such a large life of activity as did he.

Until he had passed his eightieth birthday he never ceased to labor and he was especially active as a horseback man. It has been said that he rode more miles on horseback during his life than any other man who ever lived in the county, possibly with the exception of Dr. W. J. Berry, recently deceased in Florida.

He was warm in his attachments and intense in his dislikes. No man would go further or risk more for a friend than did Coffee John Taylor. In politics he was an ardent Democrat, and was elected sheriff of Ohio county soon after the close of the war. But having no disposition to quit his farm, home and stock trading, he had the business of the office attended by the late John P. Barrett as chief deputy, assisted by other deputies. This man lived and moved among his fellowmen as a honest man and leaves after a long and eventful life with a name unsullied. He leaves a wife and three children and a wide range of friends to mourn his loss.

# Pitiable Plight of Miners.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Sept. 9.—Representatives of the striking miners in upper East Tennessee are in Chattanooga begging for aid for their brethren. The men asking for assistance say that the condition of the strikers and their families at stations along the Cincinnati Southern road in East Tennessee and Southern Kentucky is indeed pitiable. They declare that hundreds of families are without food and decent clothing, and that men, women and children are suffering for the necessities of existence. They say there is no prospect of a settlement of the strike which has been going on since May 1, the strikers, they declare, being willing to suffer hunger and privation rather than work for the low scale of wages offered by the operators.

At Point Rock, Tenn., where several hundred men are employed, they state that the miners will be evicted during the next few days from company houses, in which case an indeed pitiable state of affairs will exist there.

The strikers suffering mostly are at Helenwood, Point Rock, Strunk's Lane, Barren Forks and Glen Mary. The condition of the thousands of families is said to be very little better.

The Chattanooga merchants and laboring men are responding liberally to the appeals for help, and without going into the merits of the contention, are doing much to relieve the suffering.

If you ever try Sutherland's Eagle Eye salve for falling eyelids, you will be a keen-sighted advertiser among your friends for it. Druggists sell it.

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# The Difficulty and Its Remedy.

A Catholic priest, returned from Alaska, says it is not the intense cold from which people suffer most but from the voiceless and inarticulate silence that oppresses. The Western genius who is preparing a shipment of spinners to be sold at auction has solved this difficulty. Three hundred women married on the same day will make of silence a vague memory.

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# HALF SICK.

The Condition of Hundreds of Women.

There are many women, especially married women, who drag themselves around from year to year, without any particular disease, and yet miserable beyond description. They ache and tremble and throb, growing more nervous, tired and debilitated every day. For all this class of sufferers Per-na is the most perfect remedy in existence.

Mrs. C. C. Filler, 1351 South Fourth street, Columbus, Ohio, writes: "I had almost given up in despair, when I heard of Per-na. It was about six years ago that I first took Per-na. I found it an immediate relief to all my disagreeable symptoms. It is the only medicine that has ever been of any use to me. Before I began taking Per-na I was in such a state of health that I could not work. But Per-na seemed to raise me right up, and give me strength and health, so that I could work."

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# Got Tired Very Soon.

(Madisonville Hunter.)

Miss Cotton, a pretty young miss of 17, of Christian county, went to Nashville recently on a visit to relatives. She met with a cousin whom she had never seen before. He commenced a courtship to which she objected, but by some means which she says she does not understand he induced her to marry him. The next day he got tired of married life and struck out for home. She now wants a divorce and says that she believes she was hypnotized in the matter.

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# A Modern Lazarus.

Inherited blood diseases are much more difficult to cure than those which are acquired. One of the most common hereditary diseases is Scrofula, which the medical profession admit is most obstinate and deep-seated, and their efforts to cure it meet with little success. A child afflicted with Scrofula is always puny and sickly, and can never grow into healthy manhood until the disease is eliminated. Scrofula leads into consumption nine times out of ten, so that it is important for this reason that immediate attention be given to all children who inherit the slightest taint.

Mrs. S. S. Mabry, 360 Elm St., Macon, Ga., writes:

"My boy, Charlie, inherited a scrofulous blood taint, and from infancy was covered with terrible sores, his sufferings being such that it was impossible to dress him for three years."



CHARLIE MABRY

His head and body were a mass of sores, and his nose was swollen to several times its natural size; to add to his misery he had catarrh, which made him almost deaf, and his eyesight also became affected. No treatment was spared that we thought would relieve him, but he grew worse until his condition was indeed pitiable. A dozen blood remedies were given him by the wholesale, but they did not do the slightest good. I had almost despaired of his ever being cured, when by the advice of a friend we gave him S.S.S. (Swift's Specific), and at first the inflammation seemed to increase, but as this is the way the remedy gets rid of the poison, by forcing it out of the system, we were encouraged and continued the medicine. A decided improvement was the result, and after he had taken a dozen bottles, no one who knew of his former deplorable condition would have recognized him. All the sores on his body have healed, his skin is perfectly clear and smooth, and he has been restored to perfect health."

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